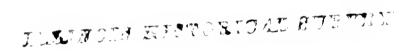
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In 1927 I published an essay entitled *The First Printers of Chicago*, which contained a bibliography of Chicago book and pamphlet imprints from 1836 to and including 1850. Since that time a number of additional early Chicago imprints have come to my attention. Some of these I have seen and have thus been able adequately to describe. To several others I have references at second hand.

These new imprints in no way alter the history of early Chicago printing as originally set forth, but they do add to our knowledge of the products of the press. The most interesting by far of those now described herein is Scammon's Reports of Cases argued and determined in the Supreme Court of the State of Illinois, which was printed in Chicago in 1840. While the sheets of this book were in the bindery, practically all of them were destroyed by fire. A note in the copy here described says that only about twenty copies were saved.

At the time that my first essay was published, I searched high and low for a copy of this volume, inquir-

ing from libraries east and west, but without success. The one copy thought to exist was in the George W. Paullin collection, which was not then accessible.

The other imprint herein listed which is of particular interest to me is *The Rosarist's Companion*, printed by Ellis & Fergus in 1845. This was described to me by Mr. Paullin, from memory, as "The Roseat," and is mentioned under that title on page 22 of my essay. The pamphlet itself came up in the Paullin sale in 1929, and I was thus enabled to get a description of it and also a facsimile of the title page for reproduction here.

I am indebted to Mr. J. R. Canny for collations and descriptions of titles of a number of the items sold by the American Art Association at the Paullin sale in April, 1929. I am glad to acknowledge a special obligation also to Mr. V. Valta Parma, curator of the Rare Book Room of the Library of Congress, and to Mr. Willard O. Waters of the Henry E. Huntington Library, who have contributed descriptions and notes on those titles which are ascribed respectively to each of those libraries.

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CHICAGO IMPRINTS

The | Public and General | Statute Laws | of the | State of Illinois: | Containing | all the laws published in the "Revised Statutes" of 1833, except such as | are repealed,—together with all the acts of a general and public nature, passed by the Ninth General | Assembly, at their | First Session, | commencing | December 1, 1834, and ending February 13, 1835; | and at their | Second Session, | commencing | December 7, 1835, and ending January 18, 1836; | and those passed by the | Tenth General Assembly, | at their Session | commencing December 5, 1836, and ending March 6, 1837; | And at their | Special Session, | commencing | July 10, and ending July 22, 1837; which are not repealed; | and also the | Militia Law. | Compiled and | arranged alphabetically, | with | occasional references. | Chicago: | Published by Stephen F. Gale. | 1839.

8vo. iv, 743 p.

Printer's imprint on verso of title page. Paullin Sale, Part I, April 1929, No. 540.

Reports | of | Cases argued and determined | in the | Supreme Court | of the | State of Illinois. | By J. Young Scammon, | Counsellor at Law. | Volume I. | Chicago: | Stephen F. Gale, 106, Lake Street. | 1840.

13.5 x 21.5 cm. xxiv, 624 p.

On verso of title page is the imprint: Chicago: Printed by Holcomb & Co. To the title page of the copy seen is attached a printed slip reading: "While this volume of Reports was in the hands of the Binder, the entire edition was destroyed, with the exception of about twenty copies (without the index) which were saved from the flames."

The preface is dated Chicago, December 1840.

Volume 2 was printed in Boston, 1841; Vol. 3, Chicago, 1843; Vol. 4, Chicago, 1844. The set of four volumes was sold at the Chicago Book Auction, April 21, 1930, for \$1200.

Statistics | of | Chicago, Ills | together with a | Business Advertiser, | and | Mercantile Directory | for | July, 1843. | [Rule] | By David D. Griswold. | [Rule].

24 p. Title in border of typographic ornaments. Printed yellow paper wrappers.

On verso of the title page is the imprint: Cleveland & Gregory, Printers, 101 Lake Street.

Title from reproduction of title page in American Art Association Catalogue of the Paullin Sale, Part I, April 1929, No. 541. This copy now in the collection of Thomas W. Streeter.

Annual Circular | and | Catalogue | of the | Officers and Students | of the | Laporte University | Session of 1844-45. | Laporte, Indiana | [Rule] | Chicago: | James Campbell, Printer | 1845. 13.5 x 20.5 cm. 8 p. Printed yellow paper wrappers. Cover title identical with above except for address "65 Lake Street" following (on the same line) the word "Printer." Cover title in ornamental border.

On the inside of the front cover is an elaborately printed certificate for admission to Dr. Knapp's lectures, with a blank space for the name of the person to be admitted.

Library of Congress. Henry E. Huntington Library.

Proceedings | of the | Grand Lodge | of | Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, | of the | State of Illinois, | at its | Sixth Annual Communication, | Held in the Town of Jacksonville, | October, A.L. 5845, A.D. 1845. | M. W. & Rev. W. F. Walker, Grand Master. | Ordered to be read in all of the Lodges. | Chicago: | Ellis & Fergus, Book and Fancy Job Printers; | Saloon Buildings, Clark Street. | MDCCCXLV.

8vo. 138 p., 1 leaf with announcement of the Grand Master and (verso) list of errata.

Paullin Sale, Part I, April 1929, No. 547.

The | Rosarist's Companion; | or, | Manual of Devout Exercises: | Comprising | night and morning prayers, | prayers at Mass, &c. | [5 lines] | The Devotion of the | Way of the Cross | of the | Sacred Heart: | And of the Association for a Happy Death, called | Bona Mors. | The Arch-Confraternity of the |



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JULY. 1843.

BY DAVID D. GRISWOLD.

Immaculate Heart of Mary. | For the Conversion of Sinners. | Vespers,—or, evening office of the church. | In Latin and English. | Chicago: | Printed for the Proprietor. | And sold by Charles M'Donnel, corner of Market and Randolph | Streets, near the South Branch Bridge. | [1845.]

On verso of the title page is the imprint: Ellis & Fergus, Printers, Saloon Buildings. On the same page: With the approbation of the Right Rev. William Quarter, Bishop of Chicago, Ill. Bishop Quarter was the first Catholic bishop of Chicago.

On a leaf preceding the title page is a statement that the volume was published by the Rev. Jas. Cumminskey (dated March 25, 1845). Title from reproduction of title page in American Art Association Catalogue of the Paullin Sale, Part I, April, 1929, No. 545.

Address | Delivered to | the Graduation Class | of the | Indiana Medical College, | at the | Public Commencement, | Feb. 18, 1847: | by | M. L. Knapp, M.D. | Professor of Materia Medica in the Indiana Medical College; Prof. of Chemistry in the | University of St. Mary of the Lake, Chicago; Member of the North-Western | Academy of the Natural and Medical Sciences, Etc. | Chicago: | Printed at 128 corner of Lake and Clark streets | 1847. 13.5x21.5 cm. 22, [1] p. Blue paper wrappers.

Text ends on p. 22 and is followed by a single page headed Fee Bill, adopted by the Members of the Medical Society of Illinois, at a meeting held in Springfield, Ilinois, January, 1840. . . .

Library of Congress.

Speech | of | Wm. Mosely Hall, | of Buffalo, N. Y. | in support of his resolutions, | Which passed unanimously, in favor of a | National R. Road to the Pacific, | on the plan of Geo. Wilkes, | delivered at the great | River and Harbor Convention, | at Chicago, Ill., | in committee of the whole, | July 7, 1847. | [Wavy rule] | Chicago: | Journal Office Print, | Corner of Lake and Clarke [sic] Streets. | 1847.

13.5 x 21 cm. 22 p.

St. Louis Mercantile Library.

ROSARIST'S COMPANION:

OR.

NANUAL OF DEVOUT EXERCISES:

COMPRISING

NIGHT AND MORNING PRAYERS, PRAYERS AT MASS. &c.

The Rosaries of B. V. M., and of Jesus; the Little Office of the B. V. M.: the Rules of the Confraternity of the Scapular; together with the Indulgences granted to the Confraternities of Rosary and Scapular.

THE DEVOTION OF THE WAY OF THE CROSS

OF THE

SACRED HEART:

And of the Association for a Happy Death called Bonn Nors.

THE ARCH-CONTRATERNITY OF THE IMMACULATE HEART, OF MARY.

For the Conversion of Sinners.

VESPERS,—OR. EVENING OFFICE OF THE CHURCH.
IN LATIN AND ENGLISH.

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PRINTED FOR THE PROPRIETOR.

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And sold by Charles M'Donnel, corner of Market and Randolph.

Streets, near the South Branch Bridge.

To the American and European Subscribers to the Loan for the Completion of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, | and to holders of canal bonds generally. | [Wavy rule] | [Chicago, 1847.] 23 x 28.5 cm. 2 leaves, second blank.

Dated and signed: Chicago, Dec. 21, 1847. H. T. Dickey.

Henry E. Huntington Library.

Journal | of the | Proceedings | of the | Grand Division, | of the | Sons of Temperance, | of the | State of Illinois, | [Device] | (Printed under the Supervision of the Committee on Publication.) | Vol. I. | Chicago: | R. L. Wilson, Printer, | Daily Journal Office. | 1848.

·8vo. 335 p.

Paullin Sale, Part I, April 1929, No. 552.

Illinois and Michigan Canal. | [Wavy rule] | Rules, By-Laws & Regulations, | established by the | Board of Trustees, | of the | Illinois & Michigan Canal | in conformity with sec. 15 of the | law of February 21, 1843; | to which is added | the rates of toll, | adopted by the | Board of Trustees for the year 1848, | and names of the principal places on the line of the canal, | with their distances from each other. | [Wavy rule] | Chicago: | Printed by R. L. Wilson, | Daily Journal Office. | 1848.

14.5 x 23.5 cm. 1 leaf, 46 p., 1 leaf. Blue paper covers.

Cover title same as title page, in ornamental border.

Henry E. Huntington Library.

An | Address | Delivered at the Opening of the | Rock Island Medical School, | November 7, 1848, | by | M. L. Knapp, M.D., | President, and Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeutics. | [Double rule] | Chicago: | Campbell & Fuller, Printers, | 107 Lake Street. | [Short rule] | 1849.

14 x 23.5 cm. 20 p. Printed paper wrappers. Cover title, in decorative border, identical with above.

Library of Congress. Collection of Douglas C. McMurtrie.

Chicago City Directory and Annual Advertiser for 1849-50. By Hatheway & Taylor. Chicago: Printed by Jas. L. Langdon, 1849. Title from Chicago Book Auction Catalogue 1, April 21, 1930, No. 40.

ADDRESS

DELIVERED AT THE OPENING OF THE

ROCK ISLAND MEDICAL SCHOOL,

NOVEMBER 7, 1848.

BY

M. L. KNAPP, M. D.,
PRESIDENT, AND PROFESSOR OF MATERIA MEDICA AND THERAPEUTIOS.

CHICAGO:
CAMPBELL & FULLER, PRINTERS,
107 Lake Street.

1849.

Constitution | and | By-Laws | of the | Chicago Building Association, | Adopted March, 1849. | [Device] | Chicago: | Davis' Book & Job Office, 128 Lake St. | 1849.

16mo. [iii]-v, 6-15 p. Printed paper wrappers.

Paullin Sale, Part I, April 1929, No. 554.

Observations on the Spread of Asiatic Cholera and its Communicable Nature. By John Evans, Professor of Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children in Rush Medical College. Chicago, 1849.

8vo. 43 p.

From the Northwestern Medical and Surgical Journal, of which John Evans, founder of Evanston, Illinois, was at that time one of the editors. Title from Morris H. Briggs List of March 14, 1930, No. 6.

Wells's Lawyer, | and | United States Form-Book; | containing | The Constitution of the United States, | with notes and decisions, | a complete system of book-keeping, | a table of gold and silver coins, interest tables, | and | Forms | . . . Naturalization papers, letters patent, and important | Information for Business Men. | By a practising attorney, | and | a merchant. | Chicago, Ill.: | Published by John C. Wells. | 1848.

12mo. 192 p. Printed brown paper wrappers. Paullin Sale, Part I, April 1929, No. 555.

College | of | Physicians and Surgeons | of the | Upper Mississippi, | (Reorganization of Rock Island Medical School:) | Second Session, 1849-50. | Chicago: | Printed at the Democrat Office, 45 LaSalle Street. | 1849.

12 x 21.5 cm. 11 p.

Henry E. Huntington Library.

A | Historical Sermon. | [Wavy rule] | By Rev. A. M. Stewart, | Pastor of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, Chicago, Ill. | [Wavy rule] | [2 lines, quotation] | [Filet] | Chicago, Ill.: | Whitmarsh & Fulton, Book and Job Printers, | 191 Lake Street, corner of Wells, (second story.) | [Short rule] | 1850.

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